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## Second War Loan Campaign Here Nets \$141,368.82, Nearly \$50,000 Over Quota

Final Efforts In The Drive Bring In Hundreds Of Small Subscribers

When the curtain was rung down on the Second War Loan campaign Saturday evening Sierra Madreans had loaned their government \$141,368.82 for prosecution of the war. They had topped their quota of \$100,000 by almost \$50,000, according to the local committee's report.

The exact number of subscribers had not been totaled yesterday but it was known that in final days of the campaign there had been literally hundreds of bonds of the smaller denominations disposed of to defense workers and other wage earners. Sales totaling \$3,281.25 made through the postoffice were of this class, only Series E bonds being offered there.

Sales made through the Sierra Madre Savings Bank brought in \$135,087.57, with Series G bonds the favorites. They netted \$59,200. Series E bonds ran second at the bank, accounting for \$34,135.25 of the total. Third on the list were the 7/8 per cent certificates, sales of which amounted to \$21,000. Next came the 2 1/2 per cent 1944-39 bonds. They brought in \$9,500 and were followed by Series F bonds which netted \$8-140. Next to last was the 2 per cent 1950-52 bonds that produced \$2,000, and bringing up the rear were the Series and Tax notes that accounted for \$1,112.32.

A roundup of the campaign Saturday evening showed that local citizens had not only over-subscribed the quota given by the city, which was expected by the committee, but had considerably exceeded the committee's fondest hopes. The committee anticipated it would go over the top by 25 per cent, with the possibility that 30 would be reached. That, however, was considered to be the limit.

## V Gardeners Will See How To Make Patches Produce

Every step in the preparation of soil, planting and cultivation—including pest control—of a Victory Garden will be demonstrated to patriotic Sierra Madreans at the May dinner meeting of the Garden Club in the Masonic Temple next Monday evening. A series of colored motion pictures amounting to a liberal education in vegetable production will be exhibited by Murray G. McNeil, garden expert of one of the world's largest packing houses who has shown them throughout the West.

Beginning with soil selection and preparation the pictures show how to secure most satisfactory results from the use of fertilizers, the planting of seed, watering, cultivation, trimming and general care of all manner of garden plants.

President F. D. R. Moore of the Garden Club announces that all Sierra Madreans will be most welcome. Dinner will be served at 6:30 and it will be necessary to make reservations by Friday night, May 8, by calling Custer 5-8204.

## WEEKEND TRIP SAVES LIVES OF FAMILY AS FORGOTTEN WELL IN DRIVEWAY CAVES IN

Decision of the A. R. Kendall family of 88 Victoria lane to take a weekend trip and vacation probably saved the lives of its members. During their absence a long forgotten well under their driveway, dug to a depth of 247 feet 35 years ago, caved in, leaving a great gaping hole easily capable of swallowing up a large truck.

Just a day after departure of the Kendalls a neighbor visiting their home to feed their pets discovered a small hole in the center of the driveway. Later in the day the upper rim of the old well, held together by the paved surface, let go leaving a hole several feet in diameter. Weight of an automobile or a person afoot passing over the driveway would have meant certain destruction.

Now owned by Miss Clara Sykes the property where the well was dug jointly by a Mrs. Ballou and Emile Deutsch, father of William Deutsch of West Laurel ave., belonged to Mrs. Ballou

## Convalescent Soldiers Entertained

Weekly Events For Men From Camp Santa Anita Planned By Red Cross

First of a series of weekly entertainments planned for convalescent Camp Santa Anita soldiers in the Army hospitals and the Elbers estate was held at Wistaria Vine Gardens Monday evening by the recreation committee of the Sierra Madre Red Cross chapter and proved to be a most enjoyable affair.

During an evening of general entertainment, coffee, sandwiches and ice cream were served the 30 odd convalescents by Chairman Hansen of the committee, Mrs. Hansen, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Peterson and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred J. Dewey.

The guests seemed to thoroughly enjoy themselves and to be so appreciative that the Red Cross hopes the townspeople will lend a hand in making the weekly affairs a big success. Mr. Hansen asks that anyone interested in helping to organize them call 4313 or contact the Red Cross headquarters.

## Congressman Has A New Headquarters In Crown City

Congressman Carl Hinshaw who came home from Washington for the Easter holidays and to recuperate from a throat ailment that confined him to the Doctor's Hospital in the national capital for more than two weeks, now has an office in Pasadena, heart of his district. It is in the Pasadena postoffice and will be used by the Congressman as his headquarters during future visits to his constituents.

Since his arrival in the district, Hinshaw received notice of his appointment by Congressman Joseph W. Martin, Republican leader in the House of Representatives, on a Congressional committee to study a wide range of post-war problems. Duty of the committee will be to prepare a program "to best promote a better life for the people of America."

In the short time allowed for his visit the Congressman is getting over as much of his district as possible and consulting groups on the important problems facing the nation.

## Soldiers Believe Baseball Players Belong In Army

First reaction of soldiers to the question of whether professional ballplayers are of more value in the Army or in civilian life seems to be in favor of putting 'em in uniform. That's the way the majority of ballots in the poll being conducted by Camp Santa Anita's paper, Man O' War, are running this week. Final results, will be announced next week.

## Announce Program For Friday Meeting Of Arts Guild

Two outstanding features of entertainment will be presented at the meeting of the Sierra Madre Arts Guild, Friday, May 7, at Wistaria Vine Gardens.

Mrs. Vera Whaley, mezzo soprano, now a resident of Sierra Madre, will sing three numbers. Mrs. Whaley traveled with the Red Cliff Chautauqua of Washington, D.C., and was with the Lyceum Bureau of Aurora, Missouri. She also sang three seasons with light opera.

Following Mrs. Whaley, the Sierra Madre Historical Society will present a program of personal reminiscences and glimpses into the doings of the early settlers of Sierra Madre.

Historical Society Officers To Speak At Nominating Meeting On May 12

An especially interesting program will be furnished by the Sierra Madre Historical Society for the meeting of the Sierra Madre Woman's Club to be held at the clubhouse, Wednesday, May 12, beginning at 11 a.m.

Mrs. C. W. Bowen, historian of the society, will read a paper about the family history of the late Samuel Twycross, who in the early days operated half a dozen business enterprises in Sierra Madre.

Dr. A. O. Pritchard will tell of the historical background and reasons for naming several of the streets here, and William Lauren Rhoades, president of the society, will tell of the founding of the famous Sierra Madre Villa by his father in the early seventies, and of the gay life on the ranches of the famous Lucky Baldwin and J. L. Rose.

All members are urged to attend this meeting, as nomination of officers will be held at the morning business session at 11 a.m. The nominating committee consists of Mrs. Adria Johnson, Mrs. Charles Klunk and Mrs. C. H. Sandage.

A pot-luck luncheon will be served at noon and the club will provide coffee.

Grandmother, 88, Will Fly Here From Texas To See Her Inducted Soon

Miss Margaret Sellars, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Sellars of 34 1/2 N. Hermosa ave., has been sworn into the WAACs by Lieut. Kay Beatty, assistant recruiting officer for the Southern California area, and will be on inactive status until called for training in one of the WAAC camps.

She was born in Fort Worth, Tex., where she went to high school and later was graduated from the Texas Christian University. She came to California with her family ten years ago, and has resided in Sierra Madre for the past three years.

Miss Sellars was one of three hundred out of 2,000 women who passed an examination for special army supervised training in the use of pressure instruments at McClelland Field, Sacramento. Since completion of her training and prior to enlisting in the WAACs, she was employed as a pressure instrument specialist with the Army Air Force at San Bernardino.

Miss Sellars telephoned her 88-year-old grandmother, Mrs. M. D. Sellars of Fort Worth, Tex., to tell her she had signed up. Her grandmother, who always travels by airplane, said, "well this is as good an excuse to come to visit you as any I know, so I shall fly out to see you inducted, my granddaughter."

## Unopposed

Mrs. Henrietta Hinkley, secretary of the Sierra Madre school board who seeks re-election, is the only candidate to file for the May 21 school election. Sierra Madreans will also vote for two members of the Pasadena school board, this city being a part of the school district.

## OES Will Observe Mother's Day With Breakfast Sunday

The Sierra Madre O.E.S. will serve a Mother's Day breakfast at the Masonic Temple, Sunday, May 9, from 7:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

There will be a selection of several breakfast items.

No reservations will be necessary and the townsfolk are invited.

County Assessor John R. Quinn, is calling attention to the Randall act, which grants tax exemptions to persons who serve the nation in time of war, and requests that applications for its benefits be filed in his office without delay.

This liberal California law has suddenly taken on a much wider significance than heretofore, according to its author, Charles H. Randall, of North Hollywood.

While its benefits have been enjoyed by the veterans of previous wars, it now applies also to those serving in the present war, as well as to widowed mothers and other dependents.

Quinn says these tax credits, average about \$50 per year. He has in addition to regular office hours fixed two Sundays, May 9 and 16, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. to receive applications.

Victory Gardens Get A Good Start

High fogs that continued through most of the week held the temperature in Sierra Madre at just about the point where life is most worth living and gave every encouragement to the scores of newly planted Victory Gardens. Here is the day to day story of how the mercury fluctuated:

	Max.	Min.
April 29	77°	52°
April 30	82°	53°
May 1	88°	51°
May 2	87°	56°
May 3	84°	55°
May 4	69°	56°
May 5	68°	55°

From Guadalcanal, in the heat of battle, Private Oleson wrote a letter to his former co-workers at the Marinship Yards near Sausalito, where he was employed during the war.

It is a letter which might do more to cure absenteeism than a special act of Congress or a directive from the President—and

it deserves to be heard by every worker in every war plant, by every legislator and government official dealing with the problem of lazy-offs, and by every American on the home front. The letter follows:

"I wanted to write you for sometime but for the past ten days our gang has been in hell. We chased the Japs across the River and held our ground against mortars, dive bombers, artillery, snipers, bayonets and knife knives. Eight of us had to lay in jungle slime up to our mouths for a whole day because the Japs had the bead on us from two sides. Charlie, next to me, whispered, 'I think I can make it', and raised his head for a cautious look. I saw him grin as he drew his Garand forward. That was all. Thank God he died instantly."

A Jap mortar almost got us when a shell exploded about forty feet away. We practically dug our graves that time. I spit blood for an hour. After nightfall the seven of us quietly slithered out of that stagnant pool like crocodiles. The Japs knew we were flanking them and fired wildly. There was about six inches of water and when Ed got hit in the spine with shrapnel, I think he purposely went under.

A single sound would have told the Japs our location. About the time you fellows on the swing-shift were knocking off to go home, we hooked up with our platoon again, gave the Captain the exact position of the Japs. A runner crawled to the rear and in fifteen minutes our artillery finished off that pocket of rice-eaters.

An hour after dawn we had our first food in twenty-four

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## Club Women To Get City's Background

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Arrangements are in charge of the active committee consisting of W. F. Maloney, chairman, Thomas Reynolds, Arthur Otterson, William Burns and Wynne Bradley.

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Corps Work

Members of the Senior and Junior woman's clubs were given an insight into the work of the block mothers and medical service units of the Sierra Madre civilian defense corps at a joint meeting of the two organizations last Wednesday at which the seniors were honored by the younger club.

Mrs. W. R. Dedrick, who organized the Block Mothers and Leaders Organization of the Sierra Madre Defense Corps, told the duties block leaders and mothers will perform in a wartime emergency. Dr. W. B. Heagerty, Chief of Emergency Medical Service told how the first aid and other groups function.

Late in the afternoon a buffet tea was served. Mrs. Dorothy Halperin, senior president and Gleam Drury, junior president, attended the tea service. Althea Butler was chairman in charge of the program.

Door prizes were won by C. H. London, Ed Brown, T. L. Tucker, Phyllis Springer, Marjorie Gilmore, Harriette Streuli, W. A. Goodwin, Joe Thompson, and Sheila Colbert.

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FIR FROM DELEWARE

Miss Esther Janet Birch of Wilmington, Delaware, was married to Lieut. Silas Landerville Wheelock, United States Army, of Putman, Connecticut, at a seven o'clock ceremony, Monday evening, April 26 in the Church of Ascension. Rev. John S. Neal officiated.

Miss Dorothy Irene Moore of Temple City, served the former Miss Birch as maid of honor and Wilkie James Murray of Sierra Madre was best man for Lieut. Wheelock. Immediately after the ceremony the bridal party drove to the Huntington Hotel for a wedding supper.

Lieut. Wheelock is stationed at Camp Santa Anita. The couple are now at home to friends at 1096 Mayflower avenue, Arcadia.

Nurse Home from the  
Islands To Be Wed

Miss Claire Ramsaur recently arrived from Honolulu to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Ramsaur of 585 W. Sierra Madre blvd. She has been a public health nurse in the Territory of Hawaii, and arrived in Honolulu four days before the Jap raid on Pearl Harbor. She also has been on convoy duty, bringing wounded sailors to the mainland for treatment.

She will remain with her parents to await the arrival of her fiancee, Lieut. (j.g.) Herbert Calvin McWilliams, from the South Pacific, to whom she will be married later in the summer.

## Lunch Box Hints

Once you get the "hang" of packing a nourishing lunch box, it's no more trouble than any other well-balanced meal, according to Mrs. Julia Kiene, head of the home economics department of one of America's largest industries whose idea of a "good lunch" is summed up in these three simple rules: (1) Box lunch must contain one-third of the daily food requirements; (2) must taste good and (3) must carry well.

A lunch box can live up to all the rules of good nutrition and still be a bore. That's why Mrs. Kiene puts great stock in a "surprise a day" to break the monotony. The surprise can be any little treat, such as a wedge of cheese, a stick of gum, dried fruits, shelled nuts, celery hearts, favorite pickles, an apple polished till it shines or an orange scored in sections with the rind pulled back about half an inch for easy peeling.

Scald metal lunch box, especially the thermos, every day as soon as it is brought home and allow them to air until ready to use again. Plus that, you should scald thermos and cork at least twice a week in boiling water to which one teaspoon of baking soda has been added.

Monastery Rector  
Tells Purpose  
Of Retreats

Rev. Angelo Hamilton, C. P., retreat director of Mater Dolorosa Monastery of the Passionist Fathers, spoke to the local Kiwanis club at its Tuesday luncheon meeting about the organization and purposes of Monasteries of the Catholic church.

He said monasteries, probably the oldest institution in the history of the church, originated in the Eastern Catholic church. The retreats at the monasteries are organized for men who wish to come from Friday to Sunday night to meditate, and find a new outlook on life. Most retreats are for Catholic men in public and professional life, but about six percent attending the monasteries are non-Catholics. There are monasteries all over the world. Eighteen of these are in the United States.

Because of convalescent soldiers being housed in the monasteries here there will be no more retreats as long as they are there, or until the war is over.

He who wishes to secure the goods of others has already secured his own. —Confucius.

Every duty brings its peculiar delight, every denial its appropriate compensation, every thought its recompense, every cross its crown; pay goes with performance as effect with cause. —Charles Meldmay.

Never has any man plucked the fruit of happiness from the tree of injustice. —Anon.

Girl Scout Leader  
To Speak Here

kins, 171 W. Orange Grove ave., at 11 a.m.

A resident of San Francisco and a graduate of the University of California, Miss Northberg has had considerable practical experience in Girl Scouting. Before joining the national staff she served as leader and later as field captain in Los Angeles. She was director of the Los Angeles Girl Scout camp for two years and carries on her interest in the study and development of camping by taking active part in the work of the American Camping Association. Miss Northberg is also a member of the National association for the study of group work.

## NURSES TO MEET

The Registered Nurses Unit will meet at the home of Mrs. James W. McCloud at 265 Morton ave., Tuesday, May 11 at 10 a.m. All members are urged to attend.

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*Mercy to him that shows it, is the rule.* Cowper.

#### FAITH

When men are in extremity, they turn to their Maker. In the midst of life's present uncertainties, the Bible, always the world's best seller, is more in demand than ever.

More than ever in the world's history, men and women are seeking new meanings for life, looking for the promise of immortality, for the inner resources that make a man strong enough to face his tests.

"Faith is the substance of things hoped for," the Bible reassures us. The soldiers on the battle fronts find this faith. The folks at home, waiting for the news of the battle, find it too.

The King James version of the Bible leads strongly in popularity, but a few modern versions are coming along. All religious publications lead in sales on the bookstands now.

#### WARTIME NECESSITY

Millions of American women will turn to for the home-canning season this year, working to eke out ration coupons, with unrationed shelves of vegetables, fruits and jams, against the next winter's dwindling supply. School cafeterias, church kitchens, and local civic centers will be made available for community canning. Committees of neighbors are pooling canning facilities.

The civilian share of the 1943 commercial canned goods is uncertain. Uncle Sam must have about 55 per cent of the fruit pack and about 40 per cent of some vegetables. Both civilians and retailers realize that food for the armed forces will come first. It will be up to the home front army to go into the kitchen and stir the steaming cauldron!

Glass jars for fruit and jelly will be available to the extent of transportation facilities, but former closures for the jars are replaced by porcelain with steel rims or by glass. Far seeing retail outlets have prepared for a tripling of family canning and are making themselves arsenals for home canners. Many of them supply recipes received from glass jar manufacturers, the U.S. Department of Agriculture, and other agencies who put out booklets on home canning that won't spoil!

Point value for a can of fruit being 24, and for a can of green beans 14, the essential encouragement for canning already exists! It wasn't so bad to begin with, for most had a few cans ahead of rationing. The pinch will come when present stocks give out. We'd better can everything but the kitchen stove itself this year!

#### FIRE FLAMES

By One of the Boys

It is hard to believe that Harold Spears is still confined to bed. The "snoper" stops in to see him once in awhile and on each visit, Harold reports that he will be up in a day or so. He is missed very much. Mrs. Spears, his Helpmeet, has been greatly taxed with much hard work during the long siege of illness and is bearing up under the strain like a soldier."

May Day found Hibbs among the fishermen. He turned out in the most ridiculous hat, covered with all sorts of feathers and hooks. On his face was two weeks growth of gray beard and his shirt showed the wear of many trips thru' the reeds. He has not yet reached the stage where he carries a fancy basket to carry home the fish, but a gift from the firemen on his retirement from the department

#### The... Watch Tower

By Perley Poore Sheehan

ONE WORLD!—and we feel that Mr. Wilkie, in some degree, becomes the godfather of a new age; the title of his book to take on a historical significance like—or surpassing—such markers even as "the Reformation" or "the Renaissance". Not even the most cynical commentators would apply to Mr. Wilkie their favorite epithets of "starry-eyed" and "bleeding heart." Would they? But the implications of his book defy befuddlement. He means *One World*—something all the "Starry-Eyed" and the "Bleeding Hearts" have been calling for since Sri Krishna, since Buddha, since Isaiah, Hosea, Jesus. But here's the hard part—there's always something hard in the good: This ONE WORLD has got to include, of course, Germany and Japan. How about it?

FTER, of course, the agreed upon and indispensable Unconditional Surrender. After the Murder Lords of both these areas have been flushed away. As for Germany, her problem must seem to a vast majority of Americans and our British allies as something personal. After all, Mr. Wilkie's people were German—like so many of our ancestors—and could you ask for a better American? Then, too, within the memory of just about every leading British statesman his sovereigns still spoke with a German accent. Did such destroy the sound British quality that endeared King Edward VII to his people? Where the problem of our adjustment to this ONE WORLD does seem baffling and remote—baffling because remote—is in the matter of Japan.

EMOTE, for one thing, because so many reports come to create the uncanny thought that the Japanese are something other than human, sub or super; in their courage, their cruelty, their self-surrender to the mass—termites, hornets, or baboons. As to that, we've just been reading a persuasive article by an Englishman, W. E. (Omori) Harris, in the May *Harper's*. Mr. Harris, now resident of Vancouver, went to Japan about forty years ago and there spent considerably more than thirty years teaching English to a large variety of Japanese, from Imperial princes down through dense ranks of professional men, military and civilian, to store-clerks, obscure artists and artisans. To what conclusion? That practically all our popular pre-and-post-Pearl-Harbor ideas of the Japanese are pure myth—so mythical as often to be almost comic.

THAT IS, that the Japanese are simply what we ourselves might be had we been submitted to the same bitter curriculum as they. A sort of "Dead End Kids" of Civilization, cowed and circumscribed by a gangster minority—not more than four per cent—as ruthless to their native underlings in peace as as they've shown themselves ruthless to foreigners in time of war. For at least a thousand years, as Mr. Harris points out, the *heimin* or common people, the 96 per cent of Japan's population, had virtually no rights or privileged whatsoever. To them, "the country of Japan hardly even a geographical expression"—the Emperor an abstraction. "To imagine that emperor worship is an age-old thing with the whole Japanese people . . . is absurd, whatever their present rulers may assert."

BUT WHAT, strangely enough, seems even more timely to any discussion of the Japanese problem is a certain quaint old volume—a book written and published in Japan fifty years ago—written by a group of Japanese professors, *Bungakushi* of the Imperial University of Japan, for the special purpose of presenting Japan to the West as gathered then at the great World's Columbian Exposition in Chicago. Remember it? In 1893—when we, as a nation, were already regarding ourselves as rightfully seated at the head of the table and Japan was still fumbling for a place near the foot—basically, apologetic. Listen: "If curious supernatural incidents figure—in the pages of this official history" . . . we have to remember that . . . ordinary events drifting out of sight, extraordinary and supernatural alone survived." So much for the divine origins of the Japanese race.

May Day found Hibbs among the fishermen. He turned out in the most ridiculous hat, covered with all sorts of feathers and hooks. On his face was two weeks growth of gray beard and his shirt showed the wear of many trips thru' the reeds. He has not yet reached the stage where he carries a fancy basket to carry home the fish, but a gift from the firemen on his retirement from the department

#### OUR DEMOCRACY

by Mat

WHEN ALEXANDER HAMILTON WAS MADE FIRST SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY BY PRESIDENT WASHINGTON, OUR GOVERNMENT HAD NO MONEY. HAMILTON OBTAINED CREDIT, ESTABLISHED THE DOLLAR AND DECIMAL SYSTEM OF COINAGE, PAID OFF FOREIGN DEBTS, PUT THE COUNTRY ON A SOUND FINANCIAL FOOTING.



Each one of us has a personal stake in the strength and credit of our nation... Each one can help win the war, directly, as we buy war bonds and indirectly through the war bond investments of our savings accounts



The coeds of the University of California are solving their own manpower shortage! The remaining males on the campus at Berkeley are being rationed! A coed holds an A, B, or C card according to the number of men in her classes. Approaching the rationed "goods", she studies their point value and makes her selection for one "coke" date a month, one week end night a month, and so on! Such a plan overshadows that of the philosophic Professor Joad in England, who studied out the "eight times as many men as women" problem and says wives many is the solution! Himself a bachelor, he reports that he likes one woman for dinner, another for dancing, another for intellectual company, another to mother him. One man, he says, can manage several wives! No noticeable outcry was raised by the women. Tongue in cheek, they mentally viewed his dilemma. For woman, the imponderable, might alter overnight from a premarriage dinner-dance companion into a stay-at-home intellectual afterward. Or she might change from the helpless kitten sort before marriage to the possessive mother type later. The "doctor's dilemma" would be pitiable, while the consumer-coed marches home with her rations!

The food shortage, strange as it may seem, is causing Californians to put on weight, according to medical reports. Reason: Most of the un-rationed foods—potatoes, spaghetti, hot cakes, et cetera—are starchy! If you see a Tom Thumb army marching down the boulevard soon, it may not be an optical illusion at all. Passed by the legislature, and already signed by the Governor, is a bill creating a State Guard company of men too short for regular military service. They'll range in height from 4 feet, 6 inches, to 4 feet, 11 inches.

If we think of industrial America, your minds center on almost any section other than the fertile plains of Kansas, but now we must revise our thought in this respect. For a new crop of heavy industries has sprouted where wheat once grew. Dozens of plants have sprung up. Just outside Kansas City, there's an \$18,000,000 ammunition factory, a \$10,000,000 bomber assembly plant, a shell-loading plant a glider factory, a new aircraft engine plant, an aluminum foundry for casting cylinder heads for plane engines, and scores of other factories.

Railroad transportation so far this year is running more than 10 per cent ahead of 1942 volume, according to statistics. The cement industry established a record production last year, but used only 75 per cent of its capacity. . . . Real estate operators have been assured by Col. John J. O'Brien, head of the army's real estate division, that there will be no dumping of the vast land holdings of the War Department after the war.

The flower smuggling racket was precipitated when the government recently ruled that providing posies to city dwellers is not an essential war purpose. Many, it turned out, preferred to go without bread than flowers. Gratefully we may reflect the war has not reached quite that far here.

But the war has brought some innovations in gardening procedure. It has created gardens where none grew before. It has made whole communities of farmers, and started millions earnestly growing vegetables under the common handicap of not knowing a weed from a radish.

Currently comes the San Francisco Victory Garden Advisory Council with an idea which conceivably might solve the biggest problem plaguing the home gardener of most localities—that of the garden snail. And solve it profitably, too.

That sluggish appearing hypocrate that never moves a muscle in day time but pricks up his horns at the first approach of dusk and metamorphoses into the most destructive of garden vandals, is, it appears, blood brother of the imported snail which delights the palates of some gourmets!

In the New York market snails are listed at \$1.25 a pound, with none to be had since the blockades of war have shut off the foreign supply. According to the Victory Garden Council the imported delicacy is exactly the same as that produced in California gardens, lawns and vacant lots—or at least the same as those which have come to their attention in the Bay Area.

Deluged with requests for shipping instructions, the Council warns amateurs to stay their hands unless they really know something about the snail business. However, they do advise that shells must be left on, the creatures must be packed in sawdust, iced and shipped in refrigerator cars, which are none too easy to reserve for snails these days.

So there it is, a golden opportunity, waiting only for a potential pied Piper to lead the snails away, launch an infant industry and win the loud acclaim of victory gardeners, all in one bold sweep.

Rhenium, a rare, silver-colored metal, has been discovered recently in fine dust of American steel mills. It comes from an ore found in the western United States, is heavier than gold or lead, and has war uses that are secret. German chemists originally isolated the named metal.

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#### BIRTHDAY GREETINGS



THE NEWS extends birthday greetings and its best wishes this week to the following Sierra Madreans, whose birthdays are indicated . . .

George Wagner	May 6
Lester K. Layton	May 6
Walton W. Bayard	May 6
Betty Jo Adams	May 7
Mrs. J. J. Bergien	May 7
Richard Walton Tully	May 7
Henry Shippey	May 8
Howard Lieben	May 8
Lucille Johnson	May 8
Mrs. May Schneeburger	May 8
Wayne Carpenter	May 8
Betty Clark	May 9
Samuel Mercer	May 9
Robert Cox	May 9
George Grijalva	May 10
Edith de Temple	May 10
Dr. J. L. Woehler	May 10
Celeste Brewer Thayer	May 10
Heri T. Schulze	May 11
Mrs. T. F. Bell	May 11
William F. Rhodes	May 11
Evelyn Noshier	May 11
Mrs. Mildred Cooke	May 12
Janice Marylen Higdon	May 12
Arthur Embree	May 12
R. O. Caukin	May 12
Fred Richter	May 12

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 FURNITURE  
 CHAMBRAYS From \$11.95  
 Millinery  
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NUMBER 11 OF A SERIES  
 YOUR WARTIME Gas Kitchen Counselor  
 Some pointers on your rationed fats and BUTTER

Butter and fats are food-value "musts"—so we suggest that you buy butter and shortening first before your ration points go aglimmering for meats!

The Nutritional Yardstick tells you to use three pats of butter or margarine daily for your growth and eyes (Vitamin A). But if necessary, you can catch up with lard, other fats and oils, avocados, mayonnaise, nuts, salt, peanut butter and milk. (Milk has enough butter fat for a child's growth.)

You can also save your precious bit of butter by substituting other kinds of fats for your gas range cooking. Use more shortening and cooking oil instead—they take fewer ration points. You can use clarified bacon and ham fat for frying and flavoring vegetables, soups, legumes, spiced cakes and cookies. And for other cookies and cakes—use clarified chicken or turkey fat.

How to clarify fats  
 There are two methods of clarifying—(1) to start by melting fat to which raw potato is added; (2) to start by adding 2 cups of cold water to 1 cup of cold fat. In both methods, heat the mixture gradually. When it ceases to bubble, strain through a double thickness of cheesecloth placed over a wire strainer. Place in a metal or glass container and refrigerate.

Save fats for salvaging! Fats are needed for ammunition! So beef, lamb or pork fat should be strained to remove any foreign particles, and stored in your refrigerator. When you have stored up a pound, turn it in to your butcher for cash.

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Bath Powder \$1.25

Talcum Powder 35¢

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3 Bars White Rose Soap 75¢

#### POUND PAPER & ENVELOPES TO MATCH

4 LARGE BARS WRISLEY'S SOAP \$1.00

9 BARS CHATEAU DU PARC SOAP 89¢

3 LARGE BARS YARDLEY'S SOAP \$1.65

## Mothers' Day

Sunday, May 9th

Cut Flowers  
Potted Plants  
Corsages

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## Church Announcements

### At The Churches

#### Congregational

The Church of the Singing Tower  
Rev. Frederic Grootsema, Pastor

9:30 a.m.—Family Church and Church school.  
11 a.m.—Morning service.  
5:15 p.m.—Scrooby Club.  
6:30 p.m.—Pilgrim Fellowship.

#### The Bethany Church

(The Round Stone Church)  
Rev. Stewart R. Sheriff, Minister

Sunday—

9:30 a.m.—Bible School. Classes for all ages.  
11:00 a.m.—Morning worship.  
6:30 p.m.—Christian Endeavor Societies.

#### Church of the Ascension

(Episcopal)

Corner Baldwin and Laurel Aves.  
Rev. John S. Neal, Rector  
Dean A. G. H. Bode, Organist

Sunday—  
3 p.m.—Regular sermon.  
Tuesdays—  
10 a.m.—Bible study.

#### Gospel Meetings Services and Study

B. W. Jones, Pastor

241 E. Sierra Madre Blvd.

Services have been discontinued at the Masonic Temple.  
New address and time of meetings, Sunday evenings 7:45 p.m.  
62 Windsor Lane.

Thursday evening, 7:45 p.m.

#### Church of The Nazarene

191 W. Sierra Madre Blvd.  
Rev. Mrs. Thelma Steelman, Minister

Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship, 11 a.m.  
Young Peoples Service, 6:30.  
Prayer meeting, 7:30, Wednesdays.

#### Kingdom Message

44 Windsor Lane

Pastor, Rev. Charlie Rees

Sunday—  
3 p.m.—Regular sermon.  
Tuesdays—  
10 a.m.—Bible study.

## OBITUARY

### R. L. FITZWILLIAM

Funeral services were held at St. Rita's Church Tuesday morning for Robert Lee Fitzwilliam who died early Saturday, May 1, at his home, 341 Acacia drive. A resident of Sierra Madre for 18 years, Mr. Fitzwilliam was born in Galveston, Tex., and came to California with his parents in his infancy. He had been a resident of the State ever since and spent most of his life as the manager of rental properties. He was a member of St. Rita's Church and of the Holy Name Society.

He is survived by his wife, Grace Fitzwilliam, and a sister, Mrs. Louise Nave, of San Jacinto. Interment was in Calvary Cemetery and pall bearers were John L. Fitzgerald, Lloyd B. Welch, Thomas Reynolds, William Burns, L. F. Bartel and Mr. Dufner.

### Playhouse Summer Festival Features Tarkington Plays

Paying play tribute to one of America's most beloved writers, Pasadena Community Playhouse announces its 9th annual Mid-summer Drama Festival, June 22 to August 15, to include eight plays by Booth Tarkington.

On a recent Eastern jaunt Playhouse director, Gilmore Brown, conferred with The Gentleman from Indiana at his Indianapolis home and reached an agreement on the Festival list.

Variety is spelled in letters of comedy, drama and romance as locale changes the setting from a wide countryside to a brightly costumed parade of another day's France and Italy, then back to the cracker-barrel in the corner store.

The plays and their order will be: June 22-27, "The Man From Home"; June 29-July 4, "Intimate Strangers"; July 6-11, "Colonel Satan"; July 13-18, "The Country Cousin"; July 20-25, "Mister Antonio"; July 27-Aug. 1, "Your Humble Servant"; Aug. 3-8, "Monsieur Beaucaire"; and Aug. 10-15, "Seventeen".

### CHARLES PETERSON IS RECOVERING

Friends of Charles Peterson, popular Sierra Madrean, who was taken suddenly ill last week, will be glad to know that he is resting comfortably at the Huntington Memorial Hospital in Pasadena. Friends may see him during the visiting hours at the hospital between 2 and 4 o'clock in the afternoon and 7 and 8 o'clock in the evening.

The cause of his illness has not yet been determined. He resides with his wife, and two children, Danny and Muriel at 71 Suffolk ave.

### Sierra Madre Chapter O. E. S.

#### Mother's Day Breakfast

7:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

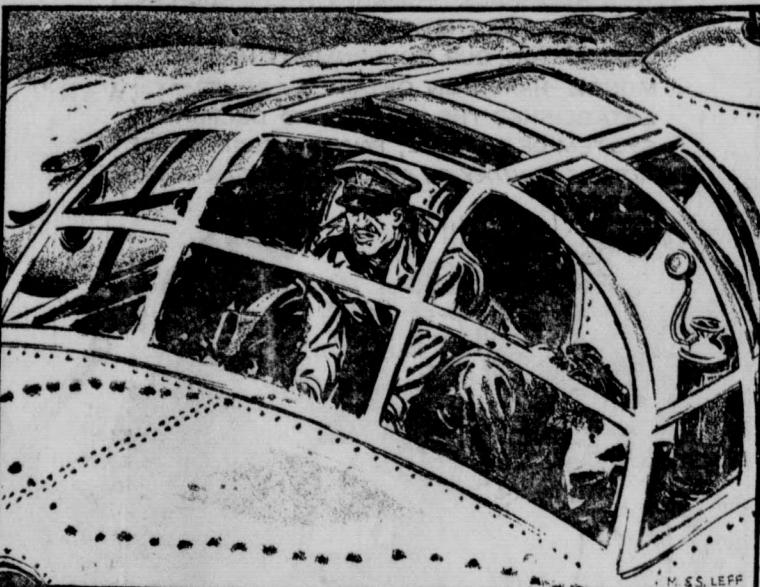
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Masonic Temple  
Sierra Madre

Take Mother out to breakfast

## AMERICAN HEROES

BY LEFF



With the bomber pilot killed, the co-pilot seriously injured, both left motors shot away, left wing on fire and a swarm of Jap Zeros all around Col. L. G. Saunders took over his bomber's controls above Boughainville, escaped the Zeros and saved his seven remaining crew members' lives by a crash landing on the water at 95-miles an hour. Navy craft rescued them.

They give their lives—You lend your money. Buy Second War

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U. S. Treasury Department

### Local Guard Unit In Field Manuevers And Contests

Thirteen billion dollars sum the Treasury must raise in the Second War Loan drive, is only one sixth of the estimated cost of the war for the fiscal year of 1943.



Be you omnivorous, granivorous, carnivorous, herbivorous, or ichthyophagous, here's food for the mind. Take a helping of nutriment.

1. What band of men spent their lives in quest of the Holy Grail? (a) The Crusaders, (b) King Arthur's Knights of the Round Table, (c) The Huguenots, (d) The Hussites.

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### AFTER LENT CARD PARTY

St. Rita's Altar Society

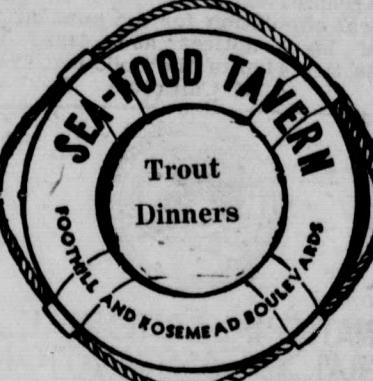
SCHOOL HALL

8 P.M. May 6

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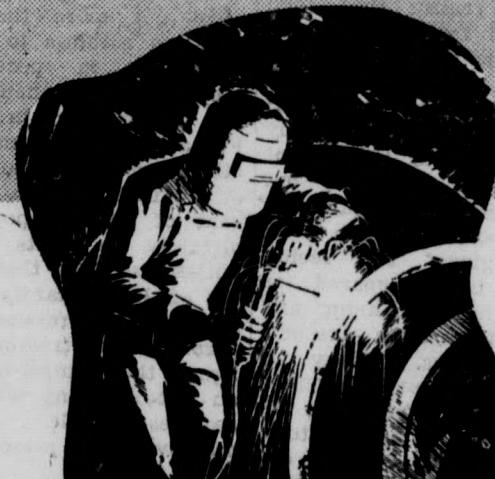
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And there has been no rationing of electricity. In response to every call for electric service—from our regular customers, the new wartime producers or the armed services—we have responded promptly, "Present and ready for duty."



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DRUG STORE—RETURN IT TO US  
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## Many Nations To Join In Observance Of I Am An American Day, May 16

As a symbol of their patriotic unity in the war effort, foreign-origin groups of the Southland, representing 26 nations, will join in a huge mass celebration of "I Am An American Day" on Sunday, May 16, at the Southern California Golf and Country Club, formerly Midwick Country Club, Garvey and Atlantic blvd.

First of its kind on a pretentious scale ever to be staged here, the affair will be a combination picnic, pageant and War Bond rally and plans are being made for an attendance of at least 25,000 men, women and children. Ruben A. Calderon, chairman of the foreign-origin groups of the Treasury War Savings Committee, sponsors of the event, announced. It will be a part of the national observance of "I Am An American Day," set aside by Presidential proclamation for public reaffirmation of loyalty to America and its democratic ideals.

Arrangements have been made for thousands of the 26 nations to attend in native costumes. Many of them will take part in the program of music, folk dancing, bond auctions and athletic events.

Platform appearances will be made by prominent personages including Gov. Earl Warren, mayor of many cities, Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt and many motion picture and radio stars. Four bands have been obtained for the occasion, Calderon announced. They are Rudy Vallee's, the Canadian Legion's, the Foreign Legion's and the Scottish Bagpipers, besides the 50-girl Monterey Bugle and Drum corps. A Russian Cossack choir will sing. Ballerina dancers and other artists of the various nationalities will perform. Admission will be free.

### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### NOTICE OF ELECTION

For Member of the Governing Board of the Sierra Madre City School District

##### District

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SIERRA MADRE CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT OF LOS ANGELES COUNTY, CALIFORNIA, that the Annual Election for members of the Board of Trustees of the Sierra Madre City School District will be held on the third Friday May, viz., May 21, 1943. It will be necessary to elect 1 member.

The polling place for said electors of the Sierra Madre City School District will be at the Sierra Madre City Elementary School in the Sierra Madre City Elementary School District.

The polls will be open between the hours of 1 o'clock A.M. and 7 o'clock P.M.

The officers appointed to conduct the election in the above-named Elementary School District are:

Mrs. Ora A. Caskey—Inspector  
Mrs. Marie C. Lord—Judge

Mrs. Maude Adams Young—Judge  
(SIGNED) Henrietta G. Hinkley  
Clerk/Secretary

May 6-13-20

## Kate Smith Brings Moon Over Sierra Madre For Soldiers

"Moon comes over Mountain", is the banner line in bold type across the top of page one in the current issue of "Man O' War", camp newspaper of the soldiers at Camp Santa Anita. Immediately under the banner, in bold black type, is the sub-head "Kate Smith Finally Gets It Over Sierra Madre". Then follows a story about a broadcast by Kate Smith held in the grandstand of the famous racing plant Friday night.

In the same issue of the paper appears the following story, under the caption "Yep":

Pvt. Jack Tierney, C of Hq., wrote a GI friend in Muroc a glowing description of Camp Santa Anita's beauty and conveniences. And he wanted to know about the Muroc camp. A few days later the friend replied:

"In the morning we open the front door and the sand blows in. At night we open the back door and the sand blows out. Monotonous, isn't it."

And under the heading "Don't Put On Suntans until May 10, Fellas!", appears another page one story as follows:

Instead of squirming into your suntans tomorrow, (May 1), as was originally scheduled, the day to begin shifting from your ODS has been delayed until May 10.

The uniforms can be worn off the post after duty hours, or if you think this California weather after dark is too cool, stick your shafts into the ODS.

But don't start wearing suntans until May 10.

**Workers in a Michigan refinery fixed up a very low, false door leading to the pay office. On it is inscribed, "You will learn to duck lower if you don't Buy a Bond."**

### PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

NOTICE OF HEARING OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

In the Matter of the Estate of Robena Alcorn, also known as Robena I. Alcorn, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the petition of Margaret Schwartz for the Probate of Will of Robena Alcorn, etc. Deceased, and for the issuance of Letters Testamentary thereon to Petitioner will be heard at 9:15 o'clock A.M. on May 21, 1943, at the court room of Department 24, of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.

The officers appointed to conduct the election in the above-named Elementary School District are:

Mrs. Ora A. Caskey—Inspector  
Mrs. Marie C. Lord—Judge

Mrs. Maude Adams Young—Judge  
(SIGNED) Henrietta G. Hinkley  
Clerk/Secretary

May 6-13-20

## INSURANCE

Considering the high cost of replacement of household furnishings and dwellings, very few people have enough

### Fire Insurance

To cover a loss by fire. We will be glad to issue additional insurance in any amounts.

## T. W. Neale

CU 5-6227 66 W. SIERRA MADRE BLVD.

## Mother's Day Food Sale

10 A.M. Saturday, May 8, In Front Of Brock's Market

by  
Bundles for America

## PRICE OF LIVESTOCK HAS SOARED IN TEN-YEAR PERIOD; CONSUMER PAYS PIPER

By R. L. BONEBRAKE

A comparison of present prices of live-stock, as paid to growers now, with prices they have received in the past, is interesting, in view of the prices consumers are paying now for meat.

The top prices paid by packers, at the Union Stock-yards, per hundred weight, on April 19, 1943, April 19, 1933, April 19, 1923, and in 1907 is shown in the schedule below:

	Steers	Heifers	Calves	Lambs	Hogs
April 19, 1943	\$17.15	\$16.15	\$17.00	\$16.25	\$16.00
April 19, 1933	5.50	5.20	5.00	4.00	
April 19, 1923	8.00	7.00	11.00	12.75	9.80
1907	4.00	3.50	4.00	4.00	4.00

Prices, as will be seen by the above table, for all classes of live-stock, are now about four times as much as they were in 1907, and about three times what they were in 1923.

In the latter year, leafy hay sold for \$10.00 to \$11.00 per ton, and feed barley for 75c per hundred weight.

On April 19, 1943, the same hay sold for \$36.00 per ton, and barley for \$1.85 per hundred.

Prices for range land, suitable for raising stock, sold for about \$3.00 per acre, in 1907, and sells at the present time for \$12.00 to \$15.00 per acre.

## Restrictions On Changing Of Jobs Is Explained

Because of considerable confusion arising out of Manpower Commissioner McNutt's recent ruling restricting job changing, and conflicting stories from Washington about the order the Merchants and Manufacturers Association of Los Angeles has issued a bulletin highlighting its provisions.

The order provides that any person employed in non-essential industry during the preceding 30 days, or any person unemployed for 30 days may take employment anywhere at authorized rates of pay.

Anyone who has been employed in essential industry within the immediately preceding 30 days cannot change to another job at a higher rate of pay than that most recently earned. However, an essential war industry worker who has been discharged, laid off for a period of more than seven days or who has not been utilizing his maximum skill on his present job, may secure an availability certificate through the War Manpower Commission, and be eligible for employment in other essential industry at rates of pay now authorized, even though such rate be greater than that most recently earned.

No statement of availability will be issued solely on the ground that the employee's wage is less than that prevailing in the locality for similar work. Both employer and employee are subject to penalties for violation of the order. Penalty may be as high as a fine of \$1,000 and a year's imprisonment.

### BUY HOME HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Seager, former residents of Escondido, are among the recent newcomers to Sierra Madre. They have bought the Coleman property at 633 W. Montecito ave., where they are making their home. They are also one time residents of Blythe. At Escondido they operated a large lemon orchard, and are very sure they are going to enjoy their residence here.

## READ THE CLASSIFIED ADS

### Classified Rates And Instructions

Ten cents per line for the first insertion; 7 cents per line for subsequent insertions. In order to avoid a charge of 25 cents to cover bookkeeping and collecting, unless you have a ledger account it is desirable that all classified advertisements be paid in advance. Classified Ads received after 10 a.m. Wednesday may be run under heading "Too Late to Classify."

### WORK WANTED

DUMAS FIX-IT SHOP and General Repairs Electrical or Mechanical Washers - Vacuums - Irons LOCKS & Keys All Work Guaranteed 12 N. Baldwin Phone 4116 If we can't Fix it throw it away -39-a

WANTED TO SHARPEN hedge shears, scissors, lawn mowers, etc. Ralph Koon, CU 5-4171, 41 W. Montecito. -20-a

### Help Wanted

WANTED—Lady, 50c an hour for personal laundry and some general work from 9-11 Saturdays. Phone 4328 -33-b

WOMAN to do housework one or two days a week, or girl in the afternoons after school. Call CU 5-6543 -33-b

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—3 rooms, furnished and 1 room apt. with kitchen and bath. 268 W. Laurel. -33-D

## U. S. Marine

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hours. Dead tired, we tried to sleep on some palm fronds. But a bunch of Zeros came over and spit at us. Louis was carrying some canteens of drinking water and his number was up. Sometimes, I wish every fellow I know could spend just one day and one terrifying night out here with us. There would be more aching bellies and not so much bellyaching. The only whistles on Guadalcanal are the screaming kind that go overhead.

Remember me to the gang in the yard. So long and good luck. Pete Oleson.

P.S.—Was just talking with the pilot of a B-17 that arrived from the States less than an hour ago. He said that one day last week there was quite a heavy rain and that 1,064 shipyard workers didn't work. I wish he had told me that.

Pete.

### Can't "Fix" Bugler

Twenty times, day and night, the dulcet tones of the bugle call Camp Santa Anita soldiers to various tasks and duties. And there's no way of bribing the bugler, or hiding the bugle—it's done by recordings over a public address system. A score of loudspeakers on the roof of the grandstand of the former race track carries the calls to the most remote corners of the camp and they are often heard in Sierra Madre at night and in the early morning.

Both employer and employee are subject to penalties for violation of the order. Penalty may be as high as a fine of \$1,000 and a year's imprisonment.



## Round The Town

Pvt. O. A. Vogel, U.S.M.C., stationed at Camp Pendleton, spent the Easter weekend with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Barkman of 40 S. Michilinda blvd.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bush and Ensign and Mrs. James Nicholson were dinner guests at the Warren Silliman home at 126 Lowell ave., Easter Monday night.

Prosper Grievelott, World War I veteran and long time resident of Sierra Madre came up from Sawtelle Saturday to spend Easter with his family. He has been at the Sawtelle war veterans home for some time.

Frank Lovell, former garage operator here and now a resident of S. San Diego, was up for a visit with local friends over Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Pinkerton of 232 Santa Anita ct., have returned from a visit with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Taylor of Mariposa, Cal. Mr. Taylor is assistant ranger at the Mariposa Ranger Station.

Misses Clara and Ida Fueflesteck have returned from Claremont where they spent Easter with their sister and brother-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Irving E. Miller of Bellingham, Wash. While there they attended the commencements of Pomona College and Scripps College.

Mrs. W. S. Hull of 542 W. Montecito ave., her daughter, Mrs. Robert Baugh, and Mrs. Baugh's daughter, Dixie of Pasadena, returned last week from Kingman, Ariz., where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hull.

Elizabeth Doty, Ruth Miles and Jean Tate were members of a theatre party that saw Ed Wynn in Hollywood on Sunday.

Miss Jeanne Waddell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh C. Waddell, Jr. of 425 Canon ave., has just returned home for summer vacation from Pomona College.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tyler and son, Trent, of Long Beach, were weekend visitors at the home of Mrs. E. L. Jackson, Mrs. Tyler's mother.

Mrs. Mary Schwartz, wife of William Schwartz now on an Army construction project in the Redwood City area, went to St. Luke's Hospital Tuesday and underwent an operation Wednesday morning that was pronounced successful by attending physicians who said her condition is satisfactory.

On Saturday, Mrs. Walter Nolac entertained members of Brownie Troop No. 6, at a May Day party at her home, 507 E. Grand View ave., honoring the birthday of her daughter, Marilyn Nolac. Assisting Mrs. Nolac for the afternoon were Mrs. R. W. Carlson and Mrs. Everett McClintock.

## RATION DATES

COFFEE—Stamp No. 23 from War Ration Book One is now valid and will be good for one pound of coffee through May 31.

SUGAR—Coupon No. 12 good for five (5) pounds through May 31.

SHOES—Coupon No. 17 good for one pair through June 15.

MEATS, CHEESE and FATS—Red stamps lettered E, and F good for 16 points, good through May 31. Other stamps for month of May will be validated as follows:

LETTER VALID EXPIRES

G (16 points) May 9 May 31

H (16 points) May 16 May 31

J (16 points) May 23 May 31

PROCESSED FRUITS and VEGETABLES—Blue Stamps G, H, and J good through May 31.

WAR RATION BOOK THREE—Will be distributed through the mails beginning late in June and ending July 21.

TIRE—Commercial vehicles must have tires inspected by April 30 or 5,000 miles since last inspection, whichever comes sooner.

GASOLINE—Coupon No. 5 in "A" book valid until midnight, May 21.

26 MARKET BASKET STORES

MON, TUES, WED, THURS  
8 a. m. to 6:30 p. m.  
CLOSED SUNDAYFREE PARKING SPACE FOR CONVENIENCE OF OUR PATRONS  
**Market Basket**  
GROCERIES • MEATS • FRUITS • VEGETABLES

26 MARKET BASKET STORES

FRIDAY & SATURDAY  
8 a. m. to 8 p. m.  
CLOSED SUNDAYARMOURS 12 Oz. Can  
Treet 35c  
(5 Red Points)Skinners Breakfast Cereal 10 oz. pkg.  
Raisin Bran 12cDEL MONTE 12 Oz. Jar  
Sweet Relish 20cSIGNET 16 Oz. Glass Jar  
Diced Carrots 11c  
(9 Blue Points)WHITE HOUSE 17 Oz. Can  
Apple Sauce 11c  
(12 Blue Points)VAN CAMPS 6 Oz. Pkg.  
Tenderoni 8cSTALEY'S CUBE 12 Oz. Pkg.  
Starch 7c  
(Price .067 Tax .003)OLD SOUTH 18 Oz. Can  
Orange Juice 16c  
(2 Blue Points)KELLOGG'S 11 Oz. Pkg.  
Corn Flakes 8cWILSONS Luncheon Meat 12 oz. can  
Mor 35c  
(5 Red Points)HOSTS Green Ripe 8 1/2 oz. can  
Olives 20cSassified Dried Meat 6 oz. pkg.  
Dog Food 10c  
(Price .097 Tax .003)

Specials for all Depts.—THURS. 6th, FRI. 7th &amp; SAT. 8th

INVEST IN FREEDOM -- BUY WAR BONDS

GOLD MEDAL  
Flour  
24 1/2 Lb. Bag  
**\$1.30**DROMEDARY  
Grapefruit  
Juice18 oz. can 46 oz. can  
**13c** 31c  
2 blue points 4 blue pointsALBERS PEACOCK  
Buckwheat  
Flour20 oz. pkg. 40 oz. pkg.  
**12c** 23cLIBBY'S TOMATO  
Juice  
18 oz. can 47 oz. can  
**10c** 22c  
5 blue points 11 blue pointsqt. bot. 1/2 gal. bot. gal. bot.  
Purex 11 1/2c 21c 37c  
Price .111  
Tax .004  
Price .203  
Tax .007  
Price .359  
Tax .011SWEETHEART TOILET  
Soap 3 for 20c 11c  
Price 3 for 194  
Tax .006  
Price .106  
Tax .004WATER MAID WHITE  
Rice 1 lb. cello 3 lb. cello  
**12c** 32c  
Price .106  
Tax .004  
Price .306  
Tax .008CAMPBELL'S  
Tomato Juice  
20 oz. can 47 oz. can  
**10c** 23c  
6 blue points 11 blue pointsIRIS (Any grind)  
Coffee  
1 Lb. Glass Jar  
**33c**  
(Subject to Govt. Rationing)Rinso  
Lg. Pkg.  
**23c**  
Price .223; Tax .00720 MULE TEAM 2 Lb. Pkg.  
Borax Powder 23c  
(Price .223 Tax .007)SUNSHINE KRISPY 1 Lb. Pkg.  
Crackers 17c**M. B. Drug Co.**  
CUT RATE DRUGS  
PASADENA 1720 E. Colorado  
3675 E. Colorado  
845 E. California  
1325 N. Fair Oaks  
EL SERENO  
4910 Huntington Dr.  
SAN GABRIEL - 515 W. Las Tunas  
TEMPLE CITY - 2116 W. Las Tunas

ALBANY

BALDWIN PARK 245 East Main  
110 N. Main Ave.  
901 W. Valley Blvd.  
SAN MARINO  
EL MONTE 423 W. Valley Blvd.  
900 Huntington Drive  
ARCADIA  
1120 Pomona Blvd.  
37 East Huntington DriveFresh  
CORINA CIGARS  
Sunsets 12c  
Queens 15c  
Isopropyl RUBBING ALCOHOL  
Pint Bottle 14c  
LISTERINE ANTISEPTIC  
7-oz. Bottle 39cMedium Size Bottle\*  
Jergens Lotion 39c  
Pack of 10—Blue Blades 49c  
GILLETTE 49c  
Larger Bottle Shampoo 79c  
DRENE 79c  
Bag—Melrose—Fresh Popped 10c  
POP CORN 10c  
VIMMS Vitamins and Minerals  
Box of 96 Tablets \$1.69  
Economy Size \$4.79  
288 Tablets 4c  
Dr. Miles VITAMINS ONE-A-DAY B-COMPLEX  
Med. Size 87c  
Lg. Size 22c  
30 Tablets 23c  
90 Tablets 31c  
KOTEX Box of 12 Pads 22c  
Kurb 12 Tablets 23c  
Quest Powder 31cLESLIES  
Salt  
2 Lb. Pkg.  
**7c**LIBBY'S  
Vienna  
Sausage  
4 Oz. Can  
**13c**  
2 Red PointsPALMOLIVE  
Toilet Soap  
reg. bar bath size bar  
3 for 20c 10c  
Price 3 for 194  
Tax .006  
Price .106  
Tax .004CLAPPS BABY CEREAL  
Oatmeal  
8 Oz. Pkg.  
**2 for 27c**WHEATIES  
Pkg.  
**11c**DEL MONTE  
Tomato  
Sauce  
8 Oz. Can  
**5c**  
7 blue points**M. B. Meat Co.**  
1720 EAST COLORADO PASADENA 2519 EAST COLORADO  
1305 NORTH LAKE 3675 E. COLORADO 1415 NORTH LAKE  
37 EAST HUNTINGTON DRIVE, ARCADIA

The following periods will be in effect for purchase of all fresh, cured and luncheon meats with Red Stamps from Ration Book No. 2:

Red E Stamps .... April 25 to May 31 Inc.  
Red F Stamps .... May 2 to May 31 Inc.  
Red G Stamps .... May 9 to May 31 Inc.  
Red H Stamps .... May 16 to May 31 Inc.  
Red J Stamps .... May 23 to May 31 Inc.

Other rationed items for which above Red Stamps must be used are: Butter, Oleomargarine, Lard, Shortening, Cooking and Salad Oils, Cheese, Canned Meats, Canned Fish, Bouillon Cubes and Meat Extracts.

FRESH POULTRY, FRESH FISH AND  
COTTAGE CHEESE ARE NOT RA-  
TIONED

Meat Departments Close at 6:00 p.m. Please Shop Early!

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IMPERIAL VALLEY GROWN—FIRM, RIPE  
**Tomatoes** lb. 15c  
5lb. Basket 70c**M. B. Produce Co.**SWEET CHAPMAN  
**Cherries** lb. 25c  
YOUNG, TENDER, STRINGLESS  
**Green Beans** lb. 23c

FRESH, CLEAN, LARGE BUNCHES

**Carrots** bunch 6cSWEET VALENCIES FOR JUICE  
**Oranges** lb. 7c

MARKET BASKET URGES ITS CUSTOMERS TO TAKE PART OF THEIR CHANGE IN U. S. WAR STAMPS

We Reserve the Right to Limit Quantities